

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

JEFFREY BOWMAN and  
LAURIE BOWMAN,  
Plaintiffs,

v.

WELLS FARGO BANK, N.A.,  
and AMERICAN BANKERS  
INSURANCE COMPANY OF FLORIDA,  
Defendants.

CIVIL NO. 10-2912 (NLH) (JS)

**ORDER**

On June 8, 2010, plaintiffs having filed their complaint; and  
The Court having reviewed plaintiffs' complaint; and  
Plaintiffs having averred that this Court's jurisdiction over  
their case is pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1332 because there is  
complete diversity of citizenship between the parties and the  
amount in controversy exceeds \$75,000; but

The Court noting that plaintiffs' complaint does not comply  
with § 1332 because plaintiffs have failed to properly plead  
diversity of citizenship in that a jurisdictional allegation  
concerning an individual must state that individual's citizenship--  
an allegation of residence is not sufficient;

Accordingly,

Because plaintiffs have failed to properly state this Court's  
jurisdiction over their action,

**IT IS HEREBY** on this 15th day of June, 2010

**ORDERED** that plaintiffs shall have 10 days to amend their  
complaint to properly plead the citizenship of the parties. If  
plaintiffs fail to do so, the case will be dismissed for lack of  
subject matter jurisdiction.

s/ Noel L. Hillman

At Camden, New Jersey

NOEL L. HILLMAN, U.S.D.J.